



California Fair Political Practices Commission

December 9, 1988

Honorable Steve Nathan
Councilmember, City of Norco
1951 Alhambra Street
Norco, CA 91760

Re: Our File No. G-88-457

Dear Councilmember Nathan:

We have received your inquiry concerning a "Democratic" slate mailer, prepared by an organization known as California Democratic Voter Manual. You have asked whether anything can be done to keep local city council races non-partisan.

Your question does not concern a subject governed by the Political Reform Act (Government Code Sections 81000-91015). The Commission's authority is limited to interpretation and enforcement of the Political Reform Act. The Political Reform Act regulates political campaigns with respect to disclosure of campaign contributions, limitations on contributions, and sender identification on campaign mailings. However, the Political Reform Act does not regulate the involvement of political parties or other partisan organizations in city council elections. Therefore, we cannot provide the assistance you have requested.

Sincerely,

Diane M. Griffiths
General Counsel

Kathryn E. Donovan
By: Kathryn E. Donovan
Counsel, Legal Division

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CALIFORNIA

DEMOCRATIC



VOTER MANUAL

Comprehensive Recommendations

Carry This Guide With You to Your Polling Place

President - Vice President

MICHAEL DUKAKIS
LLOYD BENTSEN

U.S. Senate

LEO MCCARTHY

U.S. CONGRESS

JOHNNY PEARSON

State Assembly

ERLINDA R. PARKER

Judge of the Superior Court
No Recommendation

College Board

STEVE STEARNS
ROBERT C. ELLIOTT
ALAN D. PAUW

School Board

DONALD L. JOHNSON
ALBERT M. VARELA

City Council

RON WILDFONG
JOHN WAYNE CASPER

VOTE DEMOCRATIC

INSURANCE REFORM SLATE

100 NO
101 NO RECOMMENDATION
103 NO
104 YES
106 YES

State Measures

#78 YES	#92 YES
#79 YES	#93 YES
#80 YES	#94 YES
#81 YES	#96 NO*
#82 YES	#97 YES
#83 YES	#98 YES
#84 YES	#99 NO*
#85 YES	#100 NO*
#86 YES	#102 NO
#87 YES	#103 NO*
#88 YES*	#104 YES*
#89 YES	#105 YES
#90 YES	#106 YES*
#91 YES	

No recommendation on Prop 101

County Measures

YES on A* and C; NO on B
No Recommendation on D

Local Measures

NO on F

NO on TAXES

NO on CRIME

NO on 99

Not authorized by Dukakis-Bentsen for Pres., McCarthy for Sen., or Pearson for Cong. Committee

NO on 99

Don't Punish
Poor and Working
Californians
to Make Doctors Richer

The Smith Family rate increases for auto insurance if Prop. 100 and 103 pass:
Elimination of the Norco (91760) 9%
neighborhood safety discount 9%
Total Smith Family
insurance rate increase 9%

INSURANCE REFORM RECOMMENDATIONS

NO on 100 - SPONSORED BY TRIAL LAWYERS TO PROTECT HIGH FEES.
NO on 103 - RAISES RATES BY \$1.4 BILLION IN 54 COUNTIES SO WEALTHY NEIGHBORHOODS IN LOS ANGELES CAN PAY LESS.
YES on 104 - NO-Fault LOWERS RATES EVERYWHERE.
YES on 106 - REDUCES LAWYER FEES.

Vote No on 100 & 103. Props 100 & 103 Raise Auto Insurance Rates

YOU VOTED!

REDMAN HALL

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3743 SIERRA AV

CAR-RT SORT ** CR 04

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